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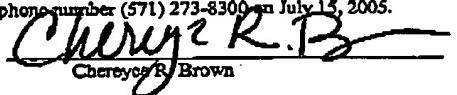
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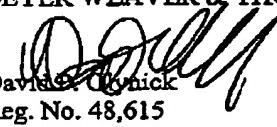
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Total Claims	32	MINUS	97	0	x 25 =	x 50 = 0
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Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$180.00	\$360.00
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**AMENDMENT A**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2005 please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.